HOUSE RESOLUTION 45

By Harmon

A RESOLUTION to honor and commend Isabelle Condra for her meritorious service to the people of Tennessee.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to specially recognize those estimable public servants who have dedicated themselves to improving the quality of life for their fellow citizens; and

WHEREAS, one such estimable person is Isabelle Condra, who for the past fifty years has lent her time and talents to numerous civic boards, committees, and centers, all in an effort to support her community; Ms. Condra's plaque from the Marion County Chamber of Commerce states, "For her commitment and dedication to her city and county"; and

WHEREAS, in addition to writing a column for the *Jasper Journal* and volunteering as an ambassador to Whitwell Middle School, Isabelle Condra also dedicates her time and energy to the Whitwell Senior Center; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Condra enjoys the social interaction at the Senior Center, as well as the board games and puzzles; she also helps to keep it open and functioning by volunteering and making quilts for its fundraisers; and

WHEREAS, she plays on her Hammond B3 organ at home, and she sings in her church's choir; and

WHEREAS, Isabelle Condra is notable for the many firsts she has made in her city; she was Whitwell's first City Clerk, and she later served as that town's first Librarian; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Condra was married to the late Max Hudson Condra, who served as Mayor of Whitwell for two terms; and

WHEREAS, she is the loving mother of three sons: Hudson is retired and lives in Whitwell; Phil is a Public Defender in Jasper; and Dale is a Chemist in Oak Ridge; and

WHEREAS, she enjoys the company of her four grandchildren and one great-grandchild; and

WHEREAS, this General Assembly finds it appropriate to pause in its deliberations to acknowledge and applaud Isabelle Condra for her dedication to both her community and to the State of Tennessee and its citizens; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we hereby honor and commend Isabelle Condra for her meritorious service to the good people of Tennessee as we extend to her our best wishes for every future success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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